## **COMPOSITION OF LOCAL WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD (LWIB)**

## **WIA § 117**

- (a) ESTABLISHMENT.--There shall be established in each local area of a State, and certified by the Governor of the State, a local workforce investment board, to set policy for the portion of the statewide workforce investment system within investment system").
- (b) MEMBERSHIP.—
  - (1) STATE CRITERIA.—The Governor of the State, in partnership with the State board, shall establish criteria for use by chief elected officials in the local areas for appointment of members of the local boards in such local areas in accordance with the requirements of paragraph (2).
  - (3) AUTHORITY OF BOARD MEMBERS.--Members of the board that represent organizations, agencies, or other entities shall be individuals with optimum policymaking authority within the organizations, agencies, or entities.

	Citation	Member Name(s), Organization(s) and Nominating Entity, if applicable	No. of Business Slots	No. of Other Slots
WIA § 117 (b)(2)(A)(i)(I)	COMPOSITIONSuch criteria shall require, at a minimum, that the membership of each local board—shall include—representatives of business in the local area, who—are owners of businesses, chief executives or operating officers of businesses, and other business executives or employers with optimum policymaking or hiring authority;	John Bendon, Green Building LLC; Lisa Knutson, Maui Memorial Medical Center; Teena Rasmussen, Paradise Flower Farms; Mike White, Kaanapali Beach Hotel	4	
WIA § 117 (b)(2)(A)(i)(II)	represent businesses with employment opportunities that reflect the employment opportunities of the local area; and	Debbie Cabebe, Society of Human Resources Management; Kevin Kimizuka, WDD Maui Branch; Carol Reimann, Monsanto	3	
WIA § 117 (b)(2)(A)(i)(III)	are appointed from among individuals nominated by local business organizations and business trade associations;	Barbra Haliniak, Moloka'i Chamber of Commerce Foundation	1	
WIA § 117 (b)(2)(A)(ii)	representatives of local educational entities, including representatives of local educational agencies, local school boards, entities providing adult education and literacy activities, and postsecondary educational institutions (including representatives of community colleges, where such entities exist), selected from among individuals nominated by regional or local educational agencies, institutions, or organizations representing such local educational entities;	Lori Teragawachi, University of Hawaii Maui College		1
WIA § 117 (b)(2)(A)(iii)	representatives of labor organizations (for a local area in which employees are represented by labor organizations), nominated by local labor federations, or (for a local area in which no employees are represented by such organizations), other representatives of employees;	William Kamai, Hawaii Carpenters Union Local 745		1
WIA § 117 (b)(2)(A)(iv)	representatives of community-based organizations (including organizations representing individuals with disabilities and veterans, for a local area in which such organizations are present);	Lyn McNeff, Maui Economic Opportunity, Inc	1	
WIA § 117 (b)(2)(A)(v)	representatives of economic development agencies, including private sector economic development entities; and	Leslie Wilkins, Maui Economic Development Board (MEDB)	1	
WIA § 117 (b)(2)(A)(vi)	representatives of each of the one-stop partners; and	Linda Fukunaga, Dept. of Human Servicess (DHS) - BESSD; Lydia Sheets, DHS - Vocational Rehabilitation; Virginia Nary, Alu Like, Inc; Courtnee Ribao, McKinley Community School for Adults - Maui Campus; Jodi Takamori, Dept. of Labor & Industrial Relations - Unemployment Insurance; Robert Upton, Hawaii Job Corps		6
WIA § 117 (b)(2)(B)	may include such other individuals or representatives of entities as the chief elected official in the local area may determine to be appropriate.			
WIA § 117 (b)(4)	MAJORITYA majority of the members of the local board shall be representatives described in paragraph (2)(A)(i).	Minimum Number to Equal at Least 51% of Total LWIB Members: 56%	10	
	Number of Non-Majority members (e.g. from non-profits or government) who are <i>not</i> representatives described in paragraph (2)(A)(i).			8

WIA § 117	CHAIRPERSONThe local board shall elect a chairperson for the local board	Chairperson Name and Organization Represented: Leslie Wilkins, MEDB	
(b)(5)	from among the representatives described in paragraph (2)(A)(i).		